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SUBJ: SPOT REPORT ON CORN HARVEST

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1. NOTING THAT THIS YEAR'S CROP IS ASSUMING "EXTRAORDINARY IMPORTANCE" IN NATIONAL BALANCE OF LIVESTOCK FEED, FRONT-PAGE ARTICLE IN ZEMEDLSKE NOVINY (AGRICULTURAL NEWS) AUGUST 28 PREDICTS GOOD CORN HARVEST THROUGHOUT COUNTRY WITH YIELDS RANGING BETWEEN 350 TO 400 QUINTALS PER HECTARE (520 TO 595 BUSHELS PER ACRE) FOR ACJ ESTIMATED TOTAL HARVEST OF SEVEN TO EIGHT MILLION TONS OF CORN.

2. NEWSPAPER DID NOT COMMENT ON QUALITY OF CROP, BUT WE SPECULATE THAT LATE SUMMER DRY SPELL WHICH ONLY RECENTLY ENDED MAY HAVE CAUSED SOME STUNTING TO OCCUR IN DEVELOPMENT OF CORN EARS AND THUS REDUCED VALUE OF CROP

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